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Docket No.: 085742-0290

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer Number: 20277
Bruce E. REIDENBERG : Confirmation Number: 2084
Application No.: 10/566,056 : Group Art Unit: 1611
Filed: January 25, 2006 : Examiner: Isis GHALI
For: PREOPERATIVE TREATMENT OF POST OPERATIVE PAIN

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated September 10, 2009, now due to expire October 10, 2009, be extended for two month(s) and set to expire on December 10, 2009.

Please charge the extension fee of \$490.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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